

CITY OF ALAMEDA
SINGLE AUDIT REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2010

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**SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
For The Year Ended June 30, 2010**

SECTION I—SUMMARY OF AUDITOR’S RESULTS

Financial Statements

Type of auditor’s report issued: Unqualified

Internal control over financial reporting:

- Material weakness(es) identified? Yes X No
- Significant deficiency(ies) identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? X Yes None Reported

Noncompliance material to financial statements noted? Yes X No

Federal Awards

Type of auditor’s report issued on compliance for major programs: Unqualified

Internal control over major programs:

- Material weakness(es) identified? Yes X No
- Significant deficiency(ies) identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? Yes X None Reported

Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with section 510(a) of OMB Circular A-133? Yes X No

Identification of major programs:

<u>CFDA#(s)</u>	<u>Name of Federal Program or Cluster</u>
<u>14.257</u>	<u>Department of Housing and Urban Development – Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program</u>
<u>20.205</u>	<u>Department of Transportation – Highway Planning and Construction</u>

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs: \$300,000

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? X Yes No

SECTION II – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS

Our audit disclosed significant deficiencies, but not material weaknesses or instances of noncompliance material to the basic financial statements which we communicated to City Council in a separate Memorandum on Internal Control dated December 13, 2010 which is an integral part of our audits and should be read in conjunction with this report.

SECTION III – FEDERAL AWARD FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

Our audit did not disclose any findings or questioned costs required to be reported in accordance with section 510(a) of OMB Circular A-133.

SECTION IV - STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS –

Prepared by Management

Financial Statement Prior Year Findings

There were findings reported in the prior year which we have communicated to the City Council in a separate Memorandum on Internal Control dated October 2, 2009, which is an integral part of our audits and should be read in conjunction with this report.

Federal Award Prior Year Findings and Questioned Costs

There were no prior year Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs reported.

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SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2010

Federal Grantor/ Pass-Through Grantor/Program or Cluster Title	Federal CFDA Number	Federal and Pass-Through Identifying Number	Federal Expenditures
Department of Transportation Pass-Through Programs From:			
State of California, Department of Transportation			
Highway Planning and Construction	20.205		
Tinker/Webster Extension Project		EA 448200	\$2,053,925
Signal Coordination-Otis/Doolittle		CML-5014(0028)	223
Park Street Streetscape		DEMO06L-5014(031)	34,589
Signal Coordination-8th/Otis/Park		CML-5014(030)	43,149
ARRA-Central Avenue Resurfacing		ESPL 5014(032)	1,233,035
ARRA-Buena Vista Resurfacing		ESPL 5014(033)	21,358
Total Department of Transportation Pass-Through Programs			<u>3,386,279</u>
Department of Energy Pass-Through Programs From:			
Alameda Municipal Power			
Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program	81.128		
ARRA-Solar Power Library		EECBG-ARRA-09	49,000
ARRA-Webster Street SMART Corridor Project		EECBG-ARRA-09	9,752
Total Department of Energy			<u>58,752</u>
Department of Housing and Urban Development Direct Programs			
Community Development Block Grants	14.218	B09MC060007	
Program Income			120,220
Program Expenditures			1,361,730
Loan Program:			
New Loans			<u>265,245</u>
Total U.S. Community Development Block Grant			<u>1,747,195</u>
ARRA - Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program	14.257	S09MY060007	<u>127,204</u>
Subtotal Department of Housing and Urban Development Direct Programs			<u>1,874,399</u>
Department of Housing and Urban Development Pass-Through Programs From:			
County of Alameda			
Home Investment Partnerships Program	14.239	M09DC060201	
Program Income			62
Program Expenditures			<u>19,572</u>
Subtotal Department of Housing and Urban Development Pass-Through Programs			<u>19,633</u>
Total Department of Housing and Urban Development			<u>1,894,032</u>
Department of Justice Pass-Through Program From:			
State of California, Department of Transportation			
Edward Byrne Memorial Formula Grant Program, Justice Assistance Grant	16.579	2007 DJ-BX-1405	<u>11,116</u>
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			<u><u>\$5,350,179</u></u>

See Accompanying Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

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NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS For The Year Ended June 30, 2010

NOTE 1-REPORTING ENTITY

The Schedule of Expenditure of Federal Awards (the Schedule) includes expenditures of federal awards for the City of Alameda, California, and its component units as disclosed in the notes to the Basic Financial Statements, except for federal awards of the Housing Authority (Authority) of the City of Alameda, California, and the Alameda Municipal Power (AMP), California. Federal awards expended by the Authority and AMP, if any, are excluded from the Schedule and are subject to a separate Single Audit performed by other auditors.

NOTE 2-BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

Basis of accounting refers to *when* revenues and expenditures or expenses are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements, regardless of the measurement focus applied. All governmental funds and agency funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. All proprietary funds are accounted for using the accrual basis of accounting. Expenditures of Federal Awards reported on the Schedule are recognized when incurred.

NOTE 3-DIRECT AND INDIRECT (PASS-THROUGH) FEDERAL AWARDS

Federal awards may be granted directly to the City by a federal granting agency or may be granted to other government agencies which pass-through federal awards to the City. The Schedule includes both of these types of Federal award programs when they occur.

NOTE 4 - SUBRECEIPIENTS

Of the federal expenditures presented in the Schedule, the City provided federal awards to subrecipients as follows:

<u>CFDA Number</u>	<u>Program Name</u>	<u>Amount Provided to Subrecipients</u>
14.257	ARRA - HUD Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program	\$127,204
14.218	Community Development Block Grant Program	268,937

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**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL
REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH
GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS**

Honorable Mayor and City Council
of the City of Alameda,
Alameda, California

We have audited the financial statements of the City of Alameda as of and for the year ended June 30, 2010, and have issued our report thereon dated December 13, 2010. We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the City's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control over financial reporting.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be deficiencies, significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above. However, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting, described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs that we consider to be significant deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting: 2010-01. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the City's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance and other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

We have also issued a separate Memorandum on Internal Control dated December 13, 2010, which is an integral part of our audits and should be read in conjunction with this report.

The City's response to the findings identified in our audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. We did not audit the City's response and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of City Council, the City Auditor, management, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Maze & Associates

December 13, 2010

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**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS THAT
COULD HAVE A DIRECT AND MATERIAL EFFECT ON EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND
ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB
CIRCULAR A-133**

Honorable Mayor and City Council
of the City of Alameda,
Alameda, California

Compliance

We have audited City of Alameda's compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the City's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2010. The City's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of City's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the City's compliance based on our audit.

City of Alameda's basic financial statements include the operations of the Housing Authority of the City of Alameda (Authority), California, which spent \$24,524,212 in federal awards that is not included in the schedule during the year ended June 30, 2010. Our audit, described below, did not include the operations of the Authority, because the component unit engaged other auditors to perform its audit in accordance with Circular A-133.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the City's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the City's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the City complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2010.

Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of the City is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered the City's internal control over compliance with the requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program to determine the auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control over compliance.

A *deficiency in internal control over compliance* exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be deficiencies, significant deficiencies, or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be *material weaknesses*, as defined above.

Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

We have audited the financial statements of the City as of and for the year ended June 30, 2010, and have issued our report thereon dated December 13, 2010. Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming our opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by OMB Circular A-133 and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, City Council, the City Auditor, federal awarding agencies, and passthrough entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Maze & Associates

January 28, 2011